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VIA ECF AND EMAIL

The Honorable Andrew L. Carter
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square, Room 435
New York, New York 10007

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Re: *Zunno v. Roomster Corp.*, No. 16-cv-07356 (ALC)
Defendant's Request to Appear Telephonically at Initial Conference

Dear Judge Carter:

Pursuant to Sections 1.A and 5.A. of Your Honor's Individual Practices, Defendant Roomster Corp., by and through its counsel, hereby requests that its principal trial counsel, Ian C. Ballon, be permitted to appear telephonically at this Court's Initial Pretrial/Pre-Motion Conference, scheduled for January 23, 2017, at 11:30 am (the "Initial Conference").

Mr. Ballon is based in Los Angeles, California, and would be required to travel cross-country to appear at the Initial Conference in person, for what Defendant understands is typically a short conference to discuss case management issues. Mr. Ballon would also be prepared to discuss the substance of Defendant's proposed motion to dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint. Further, if the Court so directs, the undersigned co-counsel for Defendant will appear at the Initial Conference in person. Defendant respectfully submits that all the relevant issues can be ably addressed if Mr. Ballon is permitted to appear telephonically, without prejudice to or burden on any of the parties or the Court. If Defendant's request is granted, Defendant's counsel will abide fully by the Court's technical or other requirements for doing so.

We thank the Court for its attention and courtesies.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/Justin A. MacLean

cc: Counsel of record

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